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SUBJECT: CURRENT FOREIGN RELATIONS

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1. SURVEY OF EMBASSY PERSONNEL INDICATES THAT LESS THAN HALF OF STAFF REGULARLY READ CFR OR FIND IT USEFUL, AND BOTH AMBASSADOR AND DCM FIND IT REDUNDANT, GIVEN THEIR ACCESS TO OTHER SOURCES OF INFORMATION. THOSE OFFICERS WHO DO READ IT, HOWEVER, BELIEVE STRONGLY ITS PUBLICATION SHOULD BE CONTINUED, EVEN IF IT REMAINS IN ITS PRESENT FORMAT. AS ONE SENIOR OFFICER PUT IT, "I THINK IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE IF ONE OF THE FEW REMAINING INSTITUTIONAL MECHANISMS FOR KEEPING THE FIELD INFORMED OF WHAT IS ON WASHINGTON'S MIND WERE TO BE DISCARDED."

2. THERE IS GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT QUALITY OF ARTICLES IN CFR COULD BE IMPROVED AND THAT IT WOULD BE MORE USEFUL IF IT WERE FOCUSED MORE ON POLICY MATTERS, PARTICULARLY ANY SHIFTS IN POLICY. ENDERS

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